

## House Resolution No. 1412

**Whereas**, Jarod W. Sams of Excelsior Springs, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on April 12, 2003, at Salem Christian Union Church; and

**Whereas**, Jarod, a member of Boy Scout Troop 313, successfully fulfilled the requirements to receive Scouting's highest rank by completing his Eagle project; and

**Whereas**, during his ten years in Scouting, Jarod mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn the Arrow of Light, thirty-five merit badges, Snorkeling certification, the Mile Swim award, the World Conservation Award, Brotherhood membership in the Order of the Arrow, and the status of Warrior in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say, where he has taken the tribal name Blazing Fire in the Morning Sun; and

**Whereas**, Jarod demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Troop Scribe, Den Chief, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, Senior Patrol Leader, and Troop Guide; and

**Whereas**, the son of Glen and Lori Sams, Jarod developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include attending various summer camps and Merit Badge Colleges, completing Brownsea Double-Two Junior Leadership Training, and taking part in numerous Camporee, Scouting-for-Food, Federal Lands Cleanup, and Klondike Derby events; and

**Whereas**, a member of the Salem Christian Union Church and the Barbee Presbyterian Memorial Church Youth Group, Jarod has also enjoyed recognition by maintaining a 3.7 G.P.A., being a member of the Excelsior Springs High School Debate Team, and displaying talent as a percussionist in the Excelsior Springs High School Tiger Pride Band and Jazz Band:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Jarod Sams for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Jarod W. Sams.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Gary Kelly  
District No. 36

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1412, adopted April 3, 2003.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker